

V. Lepidoptères de Russie. 1. Nymphalides. Moscou, 1851.
4to.—*From the Author.*

The Comparative Anatomy and Psychology of the African Negro.
By Hermann Burmeister, Prof. Zool. in University of Halle.
Translated by Julius Friedlander, Dr. Phil. of Berlin, and Robert
Tomes, M.D. of New York. New York, 1853. 8vo.—*From*
J. L. Leconte, M.D.

Educational Documents of Connecticut, for 1853. Report of the Su-
perintendent of Common Schools.—Report of the Commissioner
of the School Fund.—Report of Trustees of State Normal
Schools.—Report of Trustees of State Reform School. Hart-
ford, 1853. 8vo.—*From H. Barnard.*

The Medical Examiner. New Series. Vol. IX. No. 10. Oct. 1853.
Philadelphia. 8vo.—*From the Editors.*

The Plough, the Loom and the Anvil. Vol. VI. No. 4. Oct. 1853.
New York. 8vo.—*From the Editors.*

FOR THE CABINET.

Specimens of Marrow, from the Bones of the Mammoth found on the
shore of the river Lena, in eastern Siberia.—*From Dr. Charles*
Renard, Secretary of the Imperial Society of Naturalists, of
Moscow.

Mr. Trego announced the decease of the Hon. Mahlou
Dickerson, a member of this Society, at his residence in Mor-
ris county, N. J. on the 5th inst. in the 84th year of his age.

Pending nominations for membership were read.

Stated Meeting, October 21.

Present, twenty members.

Judge KANE, Vice-President, in the Chair.

A letter was read from the Royal Bavarian Academy of
Sciences, dated Munich, 14th March, 1853, announcing the
transmission of a donation for the library of the Society.

The following donations were announced:—

FOR THE LIBRARY.

- Bulletin der Königl. Bayerischen Akademie der Wissenschaften. Nos. 25-29. Aug. 2 to Sept. 6, 1852. München. 4to.—*From the Academy.*
- Gelehrte Anzeigen, herausgegeben von Mitgliedern der Königl. Bayerischen Akademie der Wissenschaften. Band XXXV. München. 4to.—*From the same.*
- Ueber den Chemismus der Vegetation:—Festrede zur Vorfeier des Geburtstages Seiner Majestät Maximilian II. Königs von Bayern; gehalten in der öffentlichen Sitzung der Königl. Bayerischen Akademie der Wissenschaften, am 27 Nov. 1852, von Dr. A. Vogel, jr. Universitäts Professor, &c. Munich, 1852. 4to.—*From the same.*
- Annalen der Königlichen Sternwarte bei München: Von Dr. J. Lamont, Conservator der Sternwarte. V. Band. Mit Astronomische Kalender für 1853. München, 1852. 8vo.—*From the same.*
- Report of the Commissioner of Patents for the year 1851.—Part 1. Arts and Manufactures.—Part 2. Agriculture. 2 vols. Washington. 8vo.—*From the U. S. Patent Office.*
- Journal of the Franklin Institute. Third Series. Vol. XXVI. No. 4. Oct. 1853. Philadelphia. 8vo.—*From the Institute.*
- A Memoir of the Life and Labours of the Rev. Adoniram Judson, D.D. By Francis Wayland, President of Brown University. 2 vols. Boston. 8vo.—*From the Author.*
- Voyages de la Commission Scientifique du Nord, en Scandinavie, en Laponie, au Spitzberg et aux Ferøe, pendant les années 1838, 1839 et 1840, sur la Corvette la Recherche. Publiés par ordre du Roi, sous la direction de M. Paul Gaimard, President de la Commission Scientifique du Nord.—*Aurores Boreales*; par M. M. V. Lottin, A. Bravais, C. B. Lilliehöök et P. A. Siljeström.—With a volume of Plates. Paris. 8vo.—*From Prof. John F. Frazer.*
- Etudes sur les Glaciers: par L. Agassiz. With an Atlas of 32 plates. Neuchatel, 1840. 8vo.—*From the same.*
- The American Journal of the Medical Sciences. No. LII. Oct. 1853. Philadelphia. 8vo.—*From Dr. Hays, Editor.*
- The Medical News and Library. Vol. XI. No. 130. Oct. 1853. Philadelphia. 8vo.—*From Blanchard & Lea.*
- Astronomical Journal. Vol. III. No. 16. Oct 11, 1853. Cambridge. 4to.—*From Dr. B. A. Gould, jr. Editor.*

Prof. Frazer announced the death of M. Francis Arago, which took place at Paris on the first of the present month, in the 67th year of his age. Prof. F. gave a brief account of the scientific labours of M. Arago, and referred to the loss sustained by the death of one so distinguished for his eminent services in promoting discoveries in physical science.

Mr. Trego announced the decease of Professor Simon Greenleaf, a member of this Society.

Dr. J. L. Leconte presented, for publication in the Society's Transactions, a paper entitled "Revision of the Elateridæ of the United States;"—which was referred to a committee, consisting of Prof. Haldeman, Mr. Trego and Dr. Bridges.

The Society next proceeded to the stated business of the meeting—the election of members.

All other business having been concluded, the ballot boxes were opened by the presiding officer, and the following named gentlemen were declared to be elected members of the Society:—

Dr. ALEXANDER FISCHER VON WALDHEIM, of Moscow.

Dr. BASILE SAKHAROFF, of St. Petersburg.

Dr. PETER STRELKOWSKY, of St. Petersburg.

Dr. CHARLES DWORJAK, of St. Petersburg.

FRED. GEO. WILLIAM DE STRUVE, of St. Petersburg.

CHARLES D. ARFWEDSON, of Stockholm.

Stated Meeting, November 4.

Present, fifteen members.

Dr. FRANKLIN BACHE, President, in the Chair.

Letters were read:—

From the Imperial Society of Naturalists, of Moscow, dated 30th Sept. 1852:—from the Secretary of l'Ecole des Mines, dated Paris, 9th June, 1853:—from the Society of Antiquaries, dated Somerset House, London, 25th July, 1853,—severally announcing the transmission of donations for the Library of the Society:—